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CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

PRELIMINARY FOR DELIVERY THE WEEK OF 11-Dec-2006

RANGE MAJORITY WTD.AVG. LOADS

US GRADE A 58-68 59-62 61.95 28

**GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES** 

WEDNESDAY

69.00

## FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG.:

68.69

Georgia f.o.b. dock confirmed preliminary weighted average price on ice packed parts:

	WTD. AVG.	VOLUME
ITEM (C	ENTS PER POUND)	(000 POUNDS)
LINE RUN TENDERS	152.50	965
BREASTS - B/S	125.00	5,272
BREASTS - WHOLE	80.50	1,193
THIGH MEAT - B/S	87.00	833
LEG QUARTERS	31.00	8,167
WINGS	98.00	2,498

This information is supplied by the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Poultry Market News Service.

## ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK ENDING 09-Dec-2006

Current Week Previous Week

Broiler/fryer 163,726 168,798

MIDWEST Preliminary majority prices moved higher for next weeks' deliveries into the Chicago area. Whole broiler/fryer market tone was steady to fully steady, instances firm. Offers were generally well cleared on a light trade call. Fill- in trade on mixed sized wogs into the Ohio market noted at 62 1/2 cents. Movement into all channels was mostly light to moderate, although catering and fast food demand was good. Floor stocks were adequate; weights in a desirable range for the most part. Parts trade saw good interest on wings and boneless dark meat, moderate demand on remainder of items. Supplies of all parts were well positioned to tight. The market tone was fully steady to firm on all parts.

## WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN CONSUME SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US

GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS) WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 08, 2006

8-16 LB HENS	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO	16-24 LB TOMS	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO
EASTERN REGION	84.17	96.88	86.00	EASTERN REGION	87.64	91.44	83.67
CENTRAL REGION	86.26	94.27	84.91	CENTRAL REGION	88.64	96.00	84.00
WESTERN REGION	77.60**	91.71	89.00	WESTERN REGION	76.70**	94.00	83.90**

<sup>\*\*</sup>BASED ON OFFERS

<b>LIVE POULTRY SI</b>	LTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION	LIVE TURKEYS S	<b>LAUGHTERED</b>	
WEEK ENDING (	02-Dec-2006 (PRELIMINARY)		YOUNG	YOUNG
	YOUNG CHICKENS		HENS	TOMS
	THOUSANDS		THOUS	SANDS
Head	164,436	Head	1,937	2,645
Avg Wt	5.53	Avg Wt	15.76	38.73
Last week	120,513	Last week	992	1,686
Same wk yr ago	164,540	Same wk yr ago	1,978	2,572
Avg Wt	5.47	Avg Wt	16.15	38.43
To-date/2006	7,734,320	To-date/2006	94,368	123,856
To-date/2005	7,723,390	To-date/2005	87,951	123,833

FRESH BEEF CUTS FOB Negotiated	PRICE	RANGE	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
112A 3 Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	675.50	780.60	689.58
168 3 Round, top inside round	138.50	151.50	143.74
180 3 <b>Loin</b> , strip, bnls, 0x1	440.25	490.00	456.07
Ground Beef 81%	97.23	109.00	103.41
Source: USDA/ AMS, Livestock and Grain Market Ne	ews		